

**Chambers of Chief Judge John O. Colvin**

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**John O. Colvin**  
Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1946  
Education: Missouri 1968 AB; Georgetown 1971 JD, 1978 LLM  
Began Service: 1988  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Government:** Associate, Office of the Chief Counsel, United States Coast Guard, United States Department of Transportation (1971-1975); Tax Counsel (R-OR), Office of Senator Bob Packwood, United States Senate (1975-1984); Chief Counsel, Committee on Finance, United States Senate (1985-1987); Chief Minority Counsel, Committee on Finance, United States Senate (1987-1988)

**Current Memberships:** Federal Bar Association

**Staff**

Law Clerk **Audrey Nutt** ..... (202) 521-0777  
Began Service: 2007  
Career Law Clerk **Glenn Hirabayashi** ..... (202) 521-0662  
Education: West Point 1969 BS;  
Southwestern 1980 JD; Georgetown 1987 LLM  
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Education: High Point 1973 BA  
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**Chambers of Judge Mary Ann Cohen**

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**Mary Ann Cohen**  
Judge

Date of Birth: 1943  
Education: UCLA 1964 BS; USC 1967 JD  
Began Service: September 24, 1982  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan  
Term Expires: November 6, 2012

**Legal Practice:** Member, Abbott & Cohen (1967-1982)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; State Bar of California

**Staff**

Secretary **Shirley Allison** ..... (202) 521-0655

**Chambers of Judge Maurice B. Foley**

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**Maurice B. Foley**  
Judge

Date of Birth: March 28, 1960  
Education: Swarthmore 1982 BA; Boalt Hall 1985 JD; Georgetown 1988 LLM  
Began Service: 1995  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton  
Term Expires: April 10, 2010

**Government:** Attorney, Office of the Chief Counsel, Internal Revenue Service, United States Department of the Treasury (1985-1988); Tax Counsel, United States Senate (1988-1993); Deputy Tax Legislative Counsel, United States Department of the Treasury (1993-1995)

**Current Memberships:** State Bar of California

**Chambers of Judge Maurice B. Foley continued****Staff**

Attorney-Advisor **Daniel Albert** ..... (202) 521-0681  
Began Service: March 2008  
Term Expires: March 2010  
Attorney-Advisor **Sandreea L. Woods** ..... (202) 521-0681  
Began Service: July 2007  
Term Expires: July 2009  
Education: Georgia 1997 BA;  
Texas Southern 2000 JD; Georgetown 2007 LLM  
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**Chambers of Judge Joseph H. Gale**

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**Joseph H. Gale**  
Judge

Date of Birth: 1953  
Education: Princeton 1976 AB; Virginia 1980 JD  
Began Service: February 6, 1996  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton  
Term Expires: 2011

**Government:** Tax and Chief Counsel (D-NY), Office of Senator Daniel P. Moynihan, United States Senate (1985-1992); Chief Tax Counsel, Committee on Finance, United States Senate (1993-1994); Minority Chief Tax Counsel and Staff Director, Committee on Finance, United States Senate (1995-1996)

**Legal Practice:** Dewey Ballantine (1980-1983); Dickstein, Shapiro & Morin (1983-1985)

**Staff**

Attorney-Advisor **Nils Cousin** ..... (202) 521-0688  
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**Chambers of Judge Joseph Robert Goeke**

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**Joseph Robert Goeke**  
Judge

Date of Birth: June 22, 1950  
Education: Xavier (OH) 1972 BS; Kentucky 1975 JD  
Began Service: April 22, 2003  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush  
Term Expires: April 2018

**Government:** Office of the Chief Counsel, Internal Revenue Service, United States Department of the Treasury (1980-1988)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Mayer, Brown, Rowe & Maw LLP (1988-2003)

**Staff**

Law Clerk **Brian Power** ..... (202) 521-0690  
Began Service: February 2008  
Term Expires: February 2010  
Attorney-Advisor **Marissa Fitzpatrick** ..... (202) 521-0690  
Term Expires: August 2010  
Education: Georgetown LLM; Tulane JD

**Chambers of Judge Harry A. Haines**

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**Harry A. Haines**  
Judge

Date of Birth: May 30, 1939  
Education: St Olaf 1961 BA; Montana 1964 LLB; NYU 1966 LLM  
Began Service: April 22, 2003  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush  
Term Expires: April 2018

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, School of Law, The Montana University System (1965); Teaching Fellow, New York University Law School (1966); Lecturer-in-Law, University of Montana (1967); Lecturer-in-Law, University of Montana (1970); Lecturer-in-Law, University of Montana (1974); Lecturer-in-Law, University of Montana (1981-1991); Fellow, American College of Trust and Estate Counsel

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Worden Thane & Haines, PC (1966-2003)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; State Bar of Montana

**Chambers of Judge James S. Halpern**

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**James S. Halpern**  
Judge

Date of Birth: 1945  
Education: Wharton 1967 BS; Pennsylvania 1972 JD; NYU 1975 LLM  
Began Service: July 10, 1990  
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush  
Term Expires: November 2, 2020

**Affiliation:** Adjunct Professor, Law School, The George Washington University

**Academic:** Assistant Professor, Washington and Lee University (1975-1976); Assistant Professor, St. John's University (1976-1979); Visiting Professor, New York University (1979-1980)

**Government:** Principal Technical Advisor, Assistant Commissioner and Associate Chief Counsel, Internal Revenue Service, United States Department of the Treasury (1980-1983)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Mudge, Rose, Guthrie, Alexander & Ferdon (1972-1974); Associate, Roberts & Holland LLP (1979-1980); Partner, Baker & Hostetler LLP (1983-1990)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1967-1969); United States Army Reserve, United States Department of the Army (1968-1997)

**Staff**

Attorney-Advisor **Frederick E. Wallach** ..... (202) 521-0707  
Education: Williams 1959 BA; Harvard 1962 JD;  
George Washington 1970 LLM  
Attorney-Advisor **Jeffrey S. Arbeit** ..... (202) 521-0707  
Began Service: September 2009  
Term Expires: September 2010  
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**Chambers of Judge Mark van Dyke Holmes**

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**Mark van Dyke Holmes**  
Judge

Date of Birth: July 6, 1960  
Education: Harvard 1979 BA; Chicago 1983 JD  
Began Service: June 30, 2003  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush  
Term Expires: June 30, 2018  
Political Affiliation: Republican

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk Alex Kozinski, United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit (1985-1987)

**Government:** Counsel to Commissioners, United States International Trade Commission (1991-1996); Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Tax Division (2001-2003)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Cahill Gordon & Reindel LLP (1983-1985); Associate, Sullivan & Cromwell LLP (1987-1991); Counsel, Miller & Chevalier (1996-2001)

**Current Memberships:** Section of Taxation, American Bar Association; Section on Litigation, American Bar Association

**Staff**

Law Clerk **Mirit Eyal-Cohen** ..... (202) 521-0717  
Began Service: August 2008  
Term Expires: August 2009  
Law Clerk **Emily M. Kraack** ..... (202) 521-0719  
Began Service: September 2008  
Term Expires: September 2009

**Chambers of Judge Diane L. Kroupa**

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**Diane L. Kroupa**  
Judge

Education: Georgetown 1978 BSFS; South Dakota 1981 JD  
Began Service: June 17, 2003  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush  
Term Expires: June 16, 2018  
Political Affiliation: Republican

**Current Memberships:** Section of Taxation, American Bar Association; The District of Columbia Bar Association; Minnesota State Bar Association; National Association of Women Judges; State Bar of South Dakota

**Staff**

Law Clerk/Attorney Advisor **Elizabeth McGee** ..... (202) 521-0725  
Began Service: 2007  
Term Expires: June 2009  
Law Clerk **Elizabeth Boone** ..... (202) 521-0725  
Began Service: August 2008  
Term Expires: August 2010  
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